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# **OFFICIAL REPORTS**

## **GROTON N. H.**

### **1917**



# **ANNUAL REPORTS**

**...OF THE...**

**SELECTMEN, TREASURER  
TOWN CLERK AND  
SCHOOL BOARD**

**...OF THE...**

**TOWN OF  
GROTON**

**...FOR...**

**THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1917**

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**BRISTOL, N. H.  
MUSGROVE PRINTING HOUSE  
1917**



## TOWN OFFICERS

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### SELECTMEN

WILLARD H. HUNKINS, HAROLD B. FERRIN  
WILLIAM G. HUBER

### TOWN CLERK

CHARLIE D. JEWELL

### TAX COLLECTOR

BARRON S. KINNE

### SUPERVISORS

JASPER H. PILLSBURY, ALFRED A. REMICK  
FRED KIDDER

### POLICE OFFICER

JASPER H. PILLSBURY

### LIBRARIAN

BARRON S. KINNE

### SCHOOL BOARD

ANNIE M. ESTY, OTIS SCHOOLCRAFT  
EDWARD MERRITT

**TOWN OF GROTON****BALANCE**

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**ASSETS****Cash :**

In the hands of town treasurer      \$2,952 80

In the hands of other officials :

**Accounts Due to the Town :**

Taxes not collected: (a) levy of 1911      33 86

(b)      "      1912      3 52

(c)      "      1915      24 70

Due from state:

Joint Highway Accounts, unexpended  
balances in State treasury

State aid maintenance      50 00

Due from County :      32 00

Other bills due town :

From State on forest fires      18 00

**Sinking Funds:****Materials and Supplies :**

Total assets	<hr/> \$3,114 88
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Excess of liabilities over assets (net  
debt)

Grand total	<hr/> \$3,114 88
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**SHEET                      FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1917**

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**LIABILITIES**

**Accounts Owed by the Town :**

Due to School Districts:

- (a) Dog licenses                      \$40 71
- (b) Literary fund                      12 00
- (c) Proportion of school fund                      12 00

State and town joint highway  
accounts:

- (a) Unexpended balances in State  
treasury                      50 00
- (b) Unexpended balances in town  
treasury                      37 75

**Long Term Notes Outstanding:**

Joanna Colburn note                      212 71

Total liabilities                      \$353 17

Excess of assets over liabilities (sur-  
plus)                      2,761 71

Grand total                      \$3,114 88

**TOWN OF GROTON****RECEIPTS AND**

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**RECEIPTS**

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**Current Revenue :**

## From Local Taxes :

- |   |  |            |
|---|--|------------|
| 1 | Property and poll taxes, current<br>year | \$3,579 48 |
| 2 |  |            |
| 3 | Property and poll taxes previous<br>year | 896 66     |
| 4 |  |            |

## From State:

- |    |                                      |        |
|----|--------------------------------------|--------|
| 5  | For highways                         |        |
|    | For state aid maintenance            |        |
|    | For state aid construction           | 334 74 |
| 6  | Insurance tax                        |        |
| 7  | Railroad tax                         |        |
| 8  | Savings bank tax                     | 170 09 |
| 9  | Building and loan association<br>tax |        |
| 10 | Liquor licenses                      |        |
| 11 | For fighting forest fires            |        |
| 12 | For bounties                         | 47 20  |
| 13 | Literary fund                        | 40 71  |
| 14 | For education                        | 12 00  |

## From County :

- |    |                         |       |
|----|-------------------------|-------|
| 15 | For support of poor     | 10 00 |
| 16 | For support of soldiers |       |

## From local sources except taxes :

- |    |  |       |
|----|--|-------|
| 17 | Dog licenses                               | 40 80 |
| 18 | All other licenses and permits             |       |
| 19 | Fines and forfeits                         |       |
| 20 | Rent of town hall                          |       |
| 21 | Interest received on taxes and<br>deposits |       |
| 22 | Income of departments                      |       |
| 23 |  |       |

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Total current revenue receipts

(Carried forward to page 8)

\$5,131 68



**PAYMENTS****FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1917****PAYMENTS****Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government :**

- |                                  |          |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| 1 Town officers salaries and ex. | \$306 50 |
| 2 Election and registration ex.  |          |
| 3 Municipal court expenses       |          |
| 4 Care and supplies, town hall   |          |

**Protection of Persons and Property :**

- |                      |       |
|----------------------|-------|
| 5 Police department  |       |
| 6 Fire department.   |       |
| 7 Moth extermination |       |
| 8 Bounties           | 48 20 |
| 9 Damage by dogs     | 80 00 |

**Health:**

- |                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| 10 Health department |  |
| 11 Vital statistics  |  |

**Highways and Bridges :**

- |                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| 12 State aid maintenance        | 12 25    |
| 13 Trunk line maintenance       |          |
| 14 Town maintenance             |          |
| 15 Street lighting              | 1,583 12 |
| 16 General ex. of highway dept. |          |

**Education :**

- |              |  |
|--------------|--|
| 17 Libraries |  |
|--------------|--|

**Charities :**

- |                |       |
|----------------|-------|
| 18 Town poor   | 42 00 |
| 19 County poor |       |

**Patriotic Purposes :**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 20 Memorial day and other celebrations |  |
| 21 Soldiers' aid G. A. R. halls        |  |

**Recreation :**

- |                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| 22 Parks and playgrounds |  |
|--------------------------|--|

**Public Service Enterprises :**

- |                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| 23 Water supply system |  |
| 24 Sewer maintenance   |  |

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Total current maintenance expenses (Carried to page 9)	\$2,072 07
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## RECEIPTS AND

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Total receipts brought forward from page 6	\$5,131 68
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### Receipts Other than Current Revenue :

24 Temporary loans in anticipa- tion of taxes during year	
25 Long term notes issued dur- ing year	
26 Bond issues during year	
27 Amount taken from sinking funds to pay principal of debt	
28 Abatements	\$35 92

Total receipts other than current revenue	35 92
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Total receipts from all sources	\$5,167 60
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Cash on hand at beginning of year	2,104 20
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Grand total

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\$7,271 80
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## **PAYMENTS—(Continued)**

Total pay'ts brot. from page 7		\$2,072 07
<b>Interest:</b>		
27	Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	
28	Paid on long term notes	
29	Paid on bonded debt	
30	Paid on principal of trust funds used by town	
Total interest payments		
<b>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:</b>		
31	Highways and bridges—State aid construction	\$638 90
32	Highways and bridges—Trunk line construction	
33	Highways and bridges—Town construction	
Total outlay payments		638 90
<b>Indebtedness:</b>		
38	Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	
39	Payments on long term notes	
40	Payments on bonded debt	
41	Payments to sinking fund	
Total indebtedness payments		
<b>Pay'ts to Other Governmental Divs.</b>		
42	Taxes paid to state	\$300 00
43	Taxes paid to county	218 82
44	Payments to precincts	
45	Payments to school districts	833 85
	Miscellaneous bills	219 44
	Abatements	35 92
Total payments to other governmental divisions		1,608 03
Total payments for all purposes		\$4,319 00
Cash on hand at end of year		2,952 80
Grand total		\$7,271 80

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$1,000 00
Furniture and Equipment	200 00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	500 00
Two Boston graders	150 00
Drag and scraper	2 00
Road machine	65 00
Dynamite and caps	5 00
Picks, drills and shovels	10 00
12 inch iron culvert	12 00
Tax sale on mining rights	33 35
Total	\$1,977 35

We the undersigned have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES E. MATTHEWS, {	Auditors.
A. A. REMICK, }	

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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### Money raised by taxation :

Town charges	\$500 00
Highways	1,500 00
Maintenance State highway	50 00
State aid	264 00
State tax	300 00
County tax	218 82
School supplies	70 00
High school tuition	125 00
School officers' salary	60 00
School money by law	300 00
By vote of district	200 00
Library fund	15 00
Overlay	21 14
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	\$3,623 96

### INVENTORY, 1916

Resident valuation land and buildings	\$74,840 00
Non-resident land	74,139 00
66 horses	6,874 00
1 burro	10 00
23 oxen	2,086 00
97 cows	4,042 00
22 neats	980 00
30 sheep	134 00
6 hogs	56 00
26 fowls	20 00
3 vehicles	450 00
Wood and lumber	3,890 00

Stock in trade	\$990 00
Mills and machinery	1,400 00
Money on hand	20 00
Portable mills	450 00
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	\$171,974 00
Soldiers' exemption	2,124 00
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	\$174,098 00
71 polls, \$142.00	

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

District No. 1, Joseph Huber, surveyor :

Joseph Huber	\$11 37
Henry Hikel	87
George Gurney	2 63
W. G. Huber	9 64
Frank Gurney	10 51
George Hikel	4 90
Lewis Smith	1 75
W. G. Huber	20 12
Joseph Huber	16 19
"	1 57
W. G. Huber	1 32
Joseph Huber	3 58
W. G. Huber	2 89
"	2 63
Joseph Huber	3 32
"	3 50
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	\$96 80

District No. 2, A. A. Remick, surveyor :

A. A. Remick	\$7 52
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W. G. Huber	\$9 80
A. C. Esty	87
M. W. Rowe	2 50
W. S. Remick	4 75
W. G. Huber	3 50
A. C. Esty	7 00
Frank Jewell	4 81
George Gurney	4 81
Ed. Butterfield	5 69
D. F. Wheeler	1 75
George Hikel	17 06
A. A. Remick	24 50
Henry Hikel	3 50
Frank Jewell	3 50
George Hikel	1 75
W. S. H. Remick	4 17
A. A. Remick	15 29
“	2 75
Frank Gurney	7 00
A. C. Esty	7 00
D. F. Wheeler	42
A. A. Remick	4 55
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	\$144 49

## District No. 3, Daniel H. Powers, surveyor:

Daniel H. Powers	\$5 78
Ed. Wise	2 00
Orville Matthews	3 50
Daniel Powers	6 00
Orville Matthews	3 50
W. H. Hunkins	1 75
Ed. Wise	7 50
G. J. Wise	5 25

C. E. Matthews	\$3 50
F. E. Matthews	5 25
Daniel Powers	8 53
Orville Matthews	2 28
S. Lane	2, 28
F. E. Matthews	88
H. A. J. Powers	1 75
Daniel Powers	1 61
W. H. Hunkins	1 57
Daniel Powers	7 11
W. H. Hunkins	3 15
Orville Matthews	1 40
Ed. Wise	2 00
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	\$76 59

District No. 4, Frank Matthews, surveyor :

Frank Matthews	\$9 95
Ed. Butterfield	3 50
C. E. Matthews	7 00
F. E. Matthews	3 50
W. S. Brown	26 07
Oscar Powers	3 50
Frank Gurney	3 50
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	\$57 02

District No. 5, Henry A. Bickford, surveyor :

Henry A. Bickford	\$36 92
Fred Kidder	11 92
C. L. Dodge	52
Geo. Goodhue	26
Percy Emery	3 50
Henry A. Bickford	27 48
W. H. Allen	5 26



Edward Wise	\$2 00
Henry A. Bickford	7 00
Henry A. Bickford	41 67
Walter Bowles	88
W. J. Allen	1 75
Fred Kidder	18
James Parris	1 75
George Davis	1 75
Clayton Eastman	88
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	\$143 72

## Districts No. 6 and 7, C. A. Davis, surveyor:

C. A. Davis	\$227 60
Gerald Davis	40 50
George Davis	106 56
Walter Bowles	20 12
Emri Knowlton	87
Clifton Davis	88
Clarence Parris	1 75
Roscoe Parris	87
James Parris	88 21
Henry Bickford	88
S. N. Kinne	1 75
Bert Eastman	11 37
Fred Kidder	16 64
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	\$518 00

District No. 7, G. H. Davis, surveyor 1915:	\$16 25
C. A. Davis	13 64
Bert Eastman	1 75
J. Chivell	5 76
James Parris	6 03
S. N. Kinne	87

B. S. Kinne	\$7 86
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	\$52 16

Districts No. 8 and 10, Harvey Wheet, surveyor :

Harvey Wheet	\$82 41
Clifton Davis	1 05
Otis Schoolcraft	15 84
Howard Hall	26
S. D. Stevens	35
Herbert R. Hall	5 00
George Swett	35
S. N. Kinne	1 05
G. H. Davis	1 05
Kendrick & Gilbert	10 74
Rexford Wheet	12 60
A. W. Ashley	2 63
Henry I. Thompson	2 62
James Parris	1 05
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	\$137 00

District No. 10, Howard hall, surveyor :

H. W. Hall	\$13 41
Harvey Wheet	3 50
H. R. Hall	23 40
E. Houle	2 63
H. I. Thompson	3 15
E. Merritt	11 94
W. J. Hall	11 37
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	\$69 40

District No. 11, W. A. Colburn, surveyor :

James Parris	\$4 37
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Roscoe Parris	\$0 70
W. A. Colburn	9 63
James Parris	4 38
W. H. Allen	3 50
James Parris	88
S. Reed	1 75
W. A. Colburn	1 75
"	7 00
E. A. Eastman	6 13
J. Parris	3 50
Percy H. Plumer	1 75
W. Allen	1 75
Henry Bickford	3 41
W. A. Colburn	3 50
Pearl Cross	1 31
W. A. Colburn	16 77
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	\$72 08

District No. 12, E. A. Eastman, surveyor :

E. A. Eastman	\$58 43
H. H. Eastman	7 00
W. A. Colburn	7 00
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	\$72 43

Davis road :

H. E. Davis	\$4 55
C. I. Davis	3 50
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	\$8 05

H. B. Ferrin, repairs on Phelps bridge	\$42 41
work on Eastman road	14 00
Groton woods	
road	2 00

## Groton Hollow road :

C. A. Anderson	\$25 47
W. H. Hunkins	5 75
W. G. Huber	7 00

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 \$38 22

W. S. H. Remick, breaking road	4 50
J. H. Pillsbury	11 12

## Plank bought for town :

George Hikel	\$23 13
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## Maintenance of state highway :

C. A. Davis, on Brook road	\$10 00
W. H. Hunkins, near Phelps bridge	2 25

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 \$12 25

## STATE HIGHWAY JOINT FUND

## Laid out by Perrin W. Nichols, foreman:

Perrin W. Nichols, labor and expense	\$130 05
S. E. Cummings, "	18 00
W. A. Lafluer, "	56 81
W. H. Hunkins, "	42 15
Fred Kidder, "	45 22
Fred Marshall, "	20 00
W. G. Huber, "	11 11
Fred Vinton, "	10 67
Valentine Austin, "	49 41
Roy Parris, "	34 44
Henry Bickford, "	95 11
Blanch Bickford, boarding P. W. Nichols	25 00
John Seeley, labor	12 44
Carl Heath, "	24 44

Fletcher Parris, labor	\$2 00
B. & M. R. R., storage of culvert	50
Lena Kidder, carrying drills to Rumney	2 15
“ “ k. oil and freighting and lantern	3 47
Fletcher and Kidder, dynamite and tools	22 13
S. E. Cummings, use of derrick	26 00
J. N. Kinne, use of drills	50
Fred Kidder, k. oil and handles	3 10
J. Poitras, sharpening drills	4 20
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Town disbursements	\$638 90
State “	39 01
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Total	\$677 91
Total joint fund	594 00
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Overdraft	\$83 91

### MISCELLANEOUS BILLS

H. E. Davis, wood furnished town house	\$1 50
B. S. Kinne, tax bills	4 50
Fletcher and Kidder, blasting caps	1 25
B. S. Kinne, tax bills	2 05
C. O. Barney, town reports	23 00
B. S. Kinne, error on tax sale	2 88
E. C. Eastman, town supplies	4 90
W. J. Randolph, transfers and deeds	3 00
B. S. Kinne, library fund	15 00
C. A. Davis, fighting forest fire	36 00
A. A. Remick, housing pile driver	1 00
J. H. Pillsbury, lodging tramp	1 00
W. S. H. Remick, use of water tub	3 00

W. H. Hunkins, two trips to Plymouth and expense	\$6 00
B. S. Kinne, postage on taxbills	2 60
W. H. Hunkins, postage and stationery	5 24
B. S. Kinne, tax sale on mining right	5 47
C. D. Jewell, recording births and deaths	1 05
“ “ trustee G. W. Hall fund	100 00
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	\$219 44

## TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS'

W. H. Hunkins, selectman	\$54 50
H. B. Ferrin, “	48 25
W. G. Huber, “	36 25
A. N. Lewis, moderator	6 00
C. E. Matthews, ballot clerk	3 50
A. A. Remick, supervisor	7 00
J. H. Pillsbury, “	9 00
“ “ police officer	1 50
B. S. Kinne, librarian	5 00
“ “ ballot clerk	3 50
“ “ tax collector	50 00
S. N. Kinne, ballot clerk	5 25
C. A. Davis, fire warden	4 00
W. H. Hunkins, assistant librarian	2 50
Ray Muzzey, ballot clerk	1 75
C. D. Jewell, town treas.	25 00
“ “ “ clerk	15 00
“ “ clerk at primary meeting	2 50
“ “ health officer	3 00
N. H. Hunkins, overseer of poor	8 00
Fred Kidder, supervisor	8 00

H. B. Ferrin, ballot clerk	\$1 75
W. G. Huber, " "	1 75
Matthews and Remick, auditors	3 50
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	\$306 50

## COUNTY POOR

## FOR J. GOGAN

Mrs. H. B. Stevens, casket, role, box and services	\$20 00
Mrs. H. B. Stevens, use of team in place of hearse	3 00
B. S. Kinne, digging grave	3 00
J. Parris, boarding horse	6 00
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	\$32 00

## FOR HORACE WILLOUGHBY AND WIFE

Stoughton & Stewart, groceries	\$10 00
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	\$42 00

## ABATEMENTS 1916

## B. S. KINNE, COLLECTOR

H. Sarrell, poll tax	\$2 00
L. R. Brown, "	2 00
L. C. Dane, "	2 00
Harry B. Kendrick, overtax	10 00
Mining right on Swett farm	2 00
Carrie A. Kelley, overtax	40

Newfound Mica Co.	\$2 00
Mining right on Butterfield land	8 00
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	\$28 40
Lena Kidder, on horse	1 52

## B. S. KINNE, COLLECTOR 1915

Fred C. Hall, poll tax	\$2 00	
Verner Dicey,     "	2 00	
Jesse Reed,       "	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$6 00
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		\$35 92

WILLARD H. HUNKINS,	}	Selectmen
HAROLD B. FERRIN,		
WILLIAM G. HUBER,		



## TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1917

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### MONEY RECEIVED

From Selectmen	\$655 54
Collector 1913	11 09
1914	13 20
1915	878 37
1916	3,609 40
In hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1916	2,104 20
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Paid orders 1 to 143	\$7,271 80
	4,319 00
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In hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1917	\$2,952 80

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLIE D. JEWELL, Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

CHARLES E. MATTHEWS, }  
A. A. REMICK, } Auditors.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

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The schools for the past year have been equally as good as they were the preceding year. We tried our best to hire competent teachers and feel satisfied that we did. We think it time that the people of Groton were waking up and raising more money for the support of the schools and not have this town a laughing stock for miles around. If some of the surrounding towns can have thirty weeks of school during the the year, we do not see any reason why this town could not. There are very few days in winter that the children could not go to school. In years past, we have had schools in the winter and no one was frozen, and they all lived through it and think they would now.

The school board recommend to the selectmen to assess the following sums of money:

High school tuition	\$125 00
Text books and supplies	70 00
Salaries of district officers	70 00
Repair money	50 00

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE M. ESTY,	} School Board.
EDWARD MERRITT,	
OTIS SCHOOLCRAFT,	

## ROLL OF HONOR

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### ONE TERM

Perley D. Matthews, Frank H. Jewell, Addie Powers, Edward J. Hikel, Frederick Hikel, Theodore R. Hikel, Warren A. Remick, Arthur M. Brown, Clifton E. Brown, Harold P. Brown, Wesley H. Brown, Chester R. Kinsley, Doris L. Kinsley, Gerald W. Davis, Clayton H. Eastman, Marjorie Parris.

### FOR TWO TERMS

Walter A. Ferrin, Herbert W. Remick, Normena A. Esty, Margaret Ferrin, Grace Ferrin, Annie M. Matthews, Albert E. Matthews, Daniel C. Davis, Ervill A. Davis, Viola L. Davis, Max F. Parris, Violet G. Parris.

## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

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### SCHOOL SUPPLIES PAID 1916

Ginn & Co.,	supplies	\$3 50
R. E. Lane,	"	4 83
Silver Burdett & Co.,	"	1 94
Charles Kenney,	"	2 60
Blanch Bickford,	"	55
Annie Esty, postage and supplies		88
	express	75
John Cordon,	supplies	3 38
A. N. Lewis,	"	86
Dowling School Co.,	"	3 80
American Book Co.,	books	20 80
R. E. Lane,	supplies	41
Milton Bradley Co.,	"	10
Annie Esty,	freight	86
Dowling School Co.,	supplies	9 27
R. E. Lane,	"	32
American Book Co.,	books	8 97
R. E. Lane,	supplies	1 06
		\$64 88

### SUPPLY MONEY RECEIVED 1916

In hands treasurer Feb. 15, 1916	\$5 30
Book sold	85
From town treasurer	70 00
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	\$76 15
In hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1917	\$11 27

## REPAIR MONEY RECEIVED 1916

In hands treas. Feb. 15, 1916	\$24 52
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## MONEY PAID OUT FOR REPAIRS

Frank Gurney	\$1 50
A. N. Lewis	22
Alvah Esty	1 00
"	1 50
Ray Muzzey	1 70
C. N. Merrill & Son, lumber	94
W. S. H. Remick	60
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	\$7 46

In hands of treasurer Feb. 15, 1917	\$17 06
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## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION RECEIVED

In hands of treasurer Feb. 15, 1916	\$13 33
From town treasurer	125 00
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	\$138 33

In hands of treasurer Feb. 15, 1917	\$138 33
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## SCHOOL MONEY PAID OUT 1916

Rumney tuition	\$37 10
Mrs. Frank Matthews, cleaning house No. 8	3 00
Mrs. Annie Esty, " 9	3 00
Ray Muzzey, teaching, No. 8	30 00
Cyrus Clark, " 9	50 00

Blanch Bickford, cleaning house, No. 4	\$3 00
Marion Akerman, teaching, " 4	63 00
Cyrus Clark, " " 9	50 00
Marion Akerman, " " 4	45 00
Marion Akerman Webster, teaching No. 4	18 00
Ray Muzzey, " " 8	96 00
Cyrus Clark, " " 9	100 00
Fred Kidder, wood, No. 4	5 50
Dorchester tuition	30 00
Ellen Schoolcraft, teaching No. 4	27 00
Ray Muzzey, " " 8	27 00
" " " 9	30 00
Dorchester tuition	9 00
Walter Brown, wood, No. 8	8 00
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	\$634 60

### SCHOOL MONEY RECEIVED 1916

In hands of treasurer Feb. 15, 1916	\$71 21
From town treasurer	578 85
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	\$650 06

In hands of treasurer Feb. 15, 1917	\$15 46
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### SCHOOL OFFICERS PAID, 1916

Annie Esty, school board	\$34 83
Blanch Bickford, school board	75
Charles Watts " "	15 75
Otis Schoolcraft " "	6 85
Edward Merritt " "	2 00
Charles Watts, truant officer	5 25

E. D. Jewell, treasurer	\$6 00
clerk	3 00
A. N. Lewis, moderator	4 50
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	\$78 93

### MONEY RECEIVED FOR OFFICERS 1916

In hands of treasurer Feb. 15, 1916	\$22 17
From town treasury	60 00
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	\$82 17
 In hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1917	 \$3 24

CHARLIE D. JEWELL, school treasurer.

Examined and found correct,

CHARLES E. MATTHEWS, }  
A. A. REMICK, } Auditors.

## STATISTICAL TABLE

No. of District	No. of Term	Name of Teacher	No. of weeks	No of pupils each term	Average attendance	No. of pupils not absent	Instances of tardiness	Visits by school board	Visits by citizens and others	Wages of teachers per month board included
8	1	Ray H. Muzzey	14	12	11.88	2	12	4	11	\$36.00
4	1	Marion C. Akerman	14	13	11.08	5	6	5	41	36.00
9	1	Cyrus G. Clark	16	24	23.13	8	0	5	12	50.00
8	2	Ray H. Muzzey	3	12	10.73	8	0	2	1	36.00
4	2	Ellen H. Schoolcraft	3	10	9.73	8	1	1	0	36.00
9	2	Ray H. Muzzey	3	21	18.67	9	0	1	2	40.00

Whole number of scholars by truant officer last September, 1916: Boys, 35; girls, 22; total, 57.



# TRUST FUNDS

## NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE TAX COMMISSION, UNIFORM MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTS

Report of Trust Funds of Town of Groton, N. H., for Fiscal Year Ending Feb. 15, 1917

DATE OF CREATION	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION All trust funds should be reported separately giving name of fund and donor	HOW INVESTED State character and rate of return for each investment. . . State also if funds were "borrowed or used for city or town purposes," and indicate whether notes have been used as required by Chapter 162, Laws 1915.	AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL	Rate of Int.	Bal. of Income on hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on Hand at End of Year
1915 April 23	Hall fund interest for care of cemetery.....	In Plymouth Savings Bank.....	\$100 00	3%	\$2 25	\$3 00	.....	\$5 25

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Groton, N. H., Feb. 15, 1917.

CHARLIE D. JEWELL,  
CHARLES E. MATTHEWS, } Trustees.

# Births Registered in the Town of Groton for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1916

Date of Birth.	Name of Child	Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.	Father's Name.	Mother's Maiden Name.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Feb. 6 Nov. 17	Robert P. Kinne.	M. M.	Living.. "	5 6	White	David Collins.. Sewell N. Kinne.	Lena Wallace.. Lizzie M. Campbell.	White	Groton .... "	Farmer.....	N. B..... Manchester..	N. B..... Lakeport....		

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Groton for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1916

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation of Parents.	1st, 2d, or 3d Marriage.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Mar. 12	Wentworth	Lee H. Wheet....	Groton .....	25	All White	Laborer .....	Groton .....	Josiah Wheet.....	Groton.....	Farmer.....	1	Rev. F. Braden, Wentworth
		Lillian J Burnham Runney..	Runney..	18		.....	Dorchester	Abbie McClure....	"	Housewife..	1	
						.....		Frank Z. Burnham	Concord .....	.....		
Aug. 20	Runney...	Leroy A. Parris...	Groton .....	20	All White	Laborer .....	Littleton ...	Altie Brown .....	Wentworth...	.....		
		Ethlene Davis.....	Warren .....	18		Housewife...	.....	James Parris.....	N. B.....	Farmer.....	1	A. M. Spaulding, Justice of Peace, Runney
								Effie Dodge .....	Littleton .....	Housewife..	1	
								Ned Davis.....	.....	Section Boss	1	
								.....	.....	.....		





